Candidate for Congress. HENRY SHACKELFORD, esq., of Culpeper, MENNI sancunces that he is a candidate to repreannual Seventh Congressional district in the next Congress; and that "proper occathe next to express his political pointical principles to the people of the district." Mr. ginious continues of experience and ability,

and a Democrat. COMMERCIAL. Alexandria Market, October 16, The market for breadstuffs is very quiet, with late market and small transactions. Flour is uchanged. We notice a sale of inferior red Worst at 120c.; good white and red are steady Marsi a. Corn, Rye, and Oats are also without change.

The Markets. BASTINGRE, October 16.-Flour, Ohio \$5.25; Howard street \$5,371. Wheat is steady; white 160 Acc; red. 115@122c. Corn, white 78@ So rellow Season. Whiskey is dull at 220 Provisions are quiet.

YEW YORK, Oct. 16 .- Flour is firm; State at 115434 30. Wheat is very dull and quotaass nominal. Corn is lower; mixed 68@71c.: les sie. Pork is firm; mess \$16.40@\$16.-Whiskey is dull, at Coffee-at sale this morning was steady; pices ranged for Rio at 94@12c-averaging Stocks are irregular. Va. 6's 94; Mo.

Richmond Market -- Oct. 15th. Flora - No change - no sales to shippers -Flore No change no sales to snippers. or superfine by the dray load. What -No change in quotations; \$1,35@

1.45 for good to prime red; \$1,50@\$1,55 for pod to prime white, inferior grades from 75c.

(ons.-We still quote Corn at 80@85c. per

Fredericksburg Market, Oct. 16. Mil's (Extra new) . . . 6 50 to 7 00 do. (Superfine)..... 5 25 to 5 75 Do red...... 1 00 to 1 20 Coth 0 70 to 0 75

GREEKTOWN GRAIN AND CATTLE MARKET -Wheat was dull throughout last week, and prices declare. Sales of fair to good red at \$1 20 to \$1.25 and white \$1.25 to \$1.30, with small pecipis. White corn is firm and in good demand with sales at 85 to 87c.; yellow is dull at 1 to Sc. Beef Cattle \$11 gross; offerings rety poor. Sheep \$21 to \$31 each. Hogsnote on the ground.

Comparative statement of the receipts of the Virginia & Tennessee Railroad Company, for September, 1858 :--

Freight Earnings, 40,857,15 \$82,129,98 Passenger Trains, SEPTEMBER, 1857.

\$21,134,66 Freight Earnings, 23,963,68 \$45,108.34 Passenger Trains,

Increase of \$37,019,64 or upwards of 80 per cent.

LARGE SALE OF COFFEE. -The cargoes of the backs Parthian and Virginian, consisting of 8,w bags of Rio and 600 bags of Santos Coffee, were sold at auction, in this city, yesterday, by Messrs. Edmond, Davenport & Co., at their warehouse on the Dock. The sale was well attended and the bidding quite spirited. Bechants were present from Petersburg, Lynchburg Fredericksburg, and Tennessee, and we learn that several Northern houses were repre sented A gentleman from Philadelphia purand some 800 or 900 bags. The coffee was sold by the hundred weight, and 7,500 bags were purhased. The remainder of the cargoes will be disposed of at private sale.

Lot M. O., 1200 bags, averaged Lot D., 5,000 bags, averaged 10.80 Lot A. 1.200 bags (part withdrawn) Lot Santos, 600 bags This is considered by commercial men a very

good sale .- Kich. Dis.

SALE OF SALT - After the sale of the Coffee the cargo of spip Kalamazoo, from Liverpool, consisting of 6,000 sacks of fine salt, was sold at an average of \$1,25 .- Rich. Disp.

ALMANAC. SUNSUN OCTOBER. rises. sets. Moon's PHASES.

18 Menday... 6 29 5 31 19 Tuesday ... 6 30 5 30 Full 22 10 9 m Wednesday 6 31 5 29 Last qr. 29 3 23 M. 21 Thursday. 6 32 5 28 New.... 5 11 38 M 2 Fnday ... 6 34 5 26 First qr.. 13 3 32 E. 2 Saturday... 6 36 5 24 HIGH WATER. 3 Spear... 6 37 5 23 Octo's 18 4b. 4m.

MARINE LIST. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA-OCTOBER 16.

Sthr. Carlton Jayne, Tyler, New York, by T.

Star Diamond, Fooks, Richmond by D. B Star Helen Mar, Tuthill, New York, by Bor-

Mar Maria Elizabeth, Booker, New York, by Schr. Ann Pickrell, Liverton, Philadelphia, by

Seamer Diamond State, Kerwin, Baltimore, by Wheat & Bro. MEMORANDA. Sens. Onatavia, Jamieson, from this port, for

boton and Sarah Bernice, Clarke, from Mechias, for this port, at Holmes' Hole 12th. Sear W Phillips Mount, for Georgetown, old at New York 14th.

Schr Elliott, Weaver, for this port, cl'd. at

FAIR .- The Ladies of St. Mary's (Catho-Church, take pleasure in aunouncing to their friends, and the public, that they will open a Fan at American Hall, on the evening of the 1st inst. A variety of Fancy and Useful Artithe to suit the taste and wants of all, will be disposed of, and the means offered of spending a pleasant and agreeable evening. The proceeds to be applied to the Free School House, now in

A CARD.—The travelling pub-Sibl SES are running regularly to and from te Boats in Washington. Do no: purchase Omwas Tickets on the Boats! The original fare of tents to the Avenue, and 122 cents to the

Cars is still adhered to. ect 18-d3t HUGH LATHAM. HAVE JUST received from New York the

latest style of FELT HATS, something entely new, never in this market before, called ABLE HAT; also, LADIES, RIDING HATS and GIRLS BEAVER BLOOMERS. JNO. T. EVANS.

THE NEW CHEAP SHOE STORE .-TINE ENGLISH LASTING GAITERS, \$1 25. ust received a fresh lot of those LADIES lades light do. at 62 and 75 cts. Call and see T. B. POISAL & CO. 102 King street.

ADJES' DRESS FURS .- The attention of the Ladies is invited to the fact that we just received another large assortment of PRESS FURS, which will be sold very low. Call and examine them.

S. & W. MEYENBERG, Sarepta Hall, 85, King-street. SHAWLS! SHAWLS!!—We are again in receipt of a large and elegant assortment of SHAWLS, adapted to the season, which we reselling at a small advance on their cost.

BRYAN, ADAMS & CO. VETT ALEWIVES -A superior article, just received and for sale by E13 PERRY & PENNYBACKER.

By Saturday Evening's Mails.

On Thursday morning an interesting little boy, some 4 years of age, Willie, the son of F. M. Wright, esq., of the firm of Brodnax, when his apron caught fire and communicated with his other clothing. Fortunately, one of the older children to whom he ran, had the presence of mind to throw her own clothing around him, thus smothering the flame, and no doubt saving the life of the little sufferer.

The Staupton Vindicator says:-Mr. R. W. Bushnell, who shot himself at the American Hotel some weeks ago, after lingering for twelve days, died on last Wednesday. His is one of the most remarkable cases of the tenacity with which man clings to life, we have ever heard of

"The Democrats of Culpeper are requested to meet to-day (Court day,) for the purpose ter accommodate the Convention, although of appointing delegates to the Democratic State Convention."

The sailors on board the bark Reindeer, bound from Richmond to South America, with flour, mutinied on Thursday while the ship was below Norfolk. The U.S. deputy Marshal, with a guard, went down from that city in a steamer, and would return with the

Last week the tobacco barn of John S. Leech in Rockbridge county, Va., took fire and together with Mr. Leech's entire crop of tobacco was consumed. The barn, with the tobacco, makes the loss amount to some twelve or fourteen hundred dollars.

MORE NEW BOOKS AT FRENCH'S Book and Periodical Depot.

Spurgeon's Gems, being brilliant passages from discourses of the Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, \$1 The Courtship of Miles Standish, and other Poems, by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, 1

vol., 75c. From New York to Delhi, by way of Rio de Janeiro, Australia, and China, by Robert B. Minturn, Jr., \$1 25. Sir Walter Raleigh and his time, with other

Poems, by Chas. Kingsley, \$1. A Journey due North, being notes of a residence in Russia, by Geo. Augustus Sala, 1 vol-

Agnes, a Novel, by the author of "Ida May. The Coopers, or Getting Under Way, by Alice

B. Haven, author of "No Such Word as Fail. All's not Gold that Glitters," etc., 75c. Uncle Curioso's Tales, for Youths and Mai dens, translated from the German by Cousin

Fannie, \$1. Karl Keigler, or the Fortunes of a Foundling, 50 cts.

Walter Leyton, a Story of Rural Life in Vir ginia, 50 cts.

The K. N. Pepper Papers, and other condiments, put up for general use, by Jacques Maurice. \$1

All the new Books, Papers, and Magazines on hand.

OTICE.—Having just received a large and carefully selected stock of Eastern made BOOTS and SHOES, of all kinds and descriptions, we would most respectfully call the attention of the public to the fact that we are determined to sell the same at as low prices as they can be purchased for in this, or any other city south of Boston.

As we are practical Shoemakers ourselves and having personally selected and purchased the stock immediately from the manufacturers, we feel confident in asserting that all who shall favor us with a call, will find the above fully verified.

We continue as heretofore, to manufacture all kinds of BOOTS and SHOES, from the finest LADIES SLIPPER to the heaviest BROGAN, ROOT or SHOE. Particular attention paid to custom-work, and

warranted to give entire satisfaction, both as to materials and workmanship. A call is respectfully solicited at the old cheap Shoe Store, No. 74, King-street.

oct 18-dtf CROSS, LUGENBEFL & CO. DATENT MEDICINES,-Davis's Pain Killer, Poor man's Antidote, India Cholagogue, Wood's Restorative, Barry's Tricopherous, Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, Gwin's Cherry Pictoral, Ayer's Pills and Pectoral, Wright's Brandriths, Scott's Beckniths, Lee's, Anderson's, Poter's, McLane's, Moffath's, Green's, Hobinsack's, and Holloway's Pills, Holloway's, and McAllister's all healing, Itch. and Dally's Ointments, Radway's Relief, Hunt's Liniment, and Well's sthrengthening Plasters, all sizes, for sale by PEEL, STEVENS & CO.,

corner King and Alfred streets ORE NEW BOOKS.—Longfellow's New Poem —The Courtship, by Miles Standsh, and other Poems, by Henry Wadsworth

Longfellow, price 75c.

Life of Rev. Daniel Baker.—The Life and Labors of the Rev. Daniel Baker, Pastor and Evangelist, prepared by his son, Rev. William M. Baker, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Austin, Texas, \$1.26. Just published, and for sale ROBERT BELL. [oct 18]

HENRY COOK & CO., SAREPTA HALL, KING STREET, have just rederved a large and general assortment of DRUGS, MEDI CINES, and Chemicals. Dye Stuffs, Paints, Oils. Colors, Window Glass, Varnishes, Spices, Perfumery, &c, all of which they are prepared to sell very low, for cash, or to punctual customers.

LOR LADIES.—We have now an elegant assortment of new and desirable GOODS or Ladies' Dresses-our stock of French Mouslines, Merinoes, Cashmeres, Chintzes, &c., is at this time very large; plain and figured Black Silks, very cheap. Call and examine at ASHBY & WOOD'S. oct 15

SEGARS.-15,000 choice genuine Imported HAVANA SEGARS, in store, to which I invite the particular attention of the lovers of the weed; also medium grades of other kinds 35 boxes fine TOBACCO, for sale by oct 13 J. E. DOUGLASS.

SALT-500 sacks Ashton's Fine Salt

200 " Marshall's " " 500 " Ground Alum " daily expected, and for sale, to arrive, by
oct 14

C. F. SUTTLE & CO.

TOR HIRE.-A SERVANT WOMAN. who is a good Cook, Washer and Ironer. Should prefer hiring her to go to the country.oct 14-3t Apply at this Office.

AR AND PITCH .- I have just received 75 bbls. TAR AND PITCH, in good order, for NATH'L. BOUSH. No. 3. Irwin's Whar oct 12

ILLING THREAD .- I have just received Thread, for sale by NATH'L. BOUSH, No. 3, Irwin's Wharf. oct 12

TEAS .- 15 half chests of fresh Gunpowder, Imperial, and Black TEAS, of superior quality, just received and for sale by oct 13

WE ARE just in receipt of another lot of New York State CHEESE, of superior quality; also, in store, 15 bbls pure Cider Vinegar, and 1000 hs. best quality Red Sole Leather. Z. ENGLISH & BRO.

CAMILY BIBLES.-I have on hand a fine assortment of FAMILY BIBLES, some in ROBERT BELL, 61, King-st. low prices.

CALTON'S LARGE MAP OF THE UNI-TED STATES, beautifully mounted on rollers, price \$10. For sale by ROBERT BELL.

61 King street. 15 BOXES NEW YORK CHEESE, for cutting, just received and for sale by
J. A. DIXON. LOCAL ITEMS.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION .- As well at the Georgetown Collector's office of the as we can ascertain from the expressions of Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, for the past opinion by the Demogratic papers of the week, amounted to \$2,238, as follows:-As-Wright & Bradbury, of Petersburg, was quite State, there is a decided preference for Alex- cending trade \$243; Descending, \$1,995. badly burnt. He was playing near the grate andria, as the place for holding the Democratic State Convention. The Rockingham Register, which at first preferred Staunton,

"Public opinion seems now to designate Alexandria as the proper place at which the next Democratic State Convention shall be held. We have signified our preference for Staunton; but we have no objection in the world to Alexandria. Indeed, with the ex-Alexandria, as after the nomination, if the choice of the Valley and of Western Virginia generally should happen to be the nominee, no one can complain that the Convention was governed by undue local influences. Alexthe latter place would do all it could to make the members of the Convention feel easy and held a meeting and invited the Convention to meet there; and the democracy of Albemarle, in a public meeting, have expressed a preferstood as not now pressing the claims of Staun-

ton, and as going warmly for Alexandria." The Charlottsville Exponant says .-- "The Democrats of Alexandria have cordially extended to the Democracy of Virginia a solicitation to hold in their city the approaching Gubernatorial Convention. We dare say that Alexandria is as well suited for such a purpose as any place yet mentioned. Its renerable age-recent return to the body of the State accessibility-vicinity to Washington and to Mount Version are all in its favor.'

The Parkersburg Newssays: - The press of the State are commencing to speak on the the firm name in settlement.

ANDREW J. FLEMING, subject of selecting the place for holding the next Gubernatorial nominating Convention. The papers of this section are generally out in favor of Alexandria.

The Fairmont Virginian prefers Alexandris to all other places, and Richmond to any place except Alexandria. "Lynchburg is out prices for cash, and respectfully invites his of the question-not a whit more accessible than Staupton, and not near the territorial centre of the State. Alexandria is very near pient point for all the Northwest, (which has man in the State."

LADIES' FAIR .- The Ladies of St. Mary's Church, long celebrated for their unsurpassed ability in getting up fairs, will open one, to-night, at American Hall, in the story below Liberty.

Though the time allowed them for preparation has been very short, we are told that it has been so well employed, that this will be, probably, the most attractive fair they have ever had. Sets of jewelry and silver, rich ornamental work, elegant notions of every sort, and useful articles of all descriptions, will adorn the tables; while the inner man will be provided for to the utmost extent of the occasion, and if bright eyes and witching smiles can effect anything, the state of

The object of this effort is a noble one; it is to provide for the education of many generations of poor children in the paths of virtue | nuts; best Bunch Raisins, for sale by and learning; it is to belp to teach those whose votes are, in time to come, to rule us, first to rule themselves; it is to lessen rowdyism and vice ; in short, it is to endeavor to bring up the neglected children of the streets as Chris-

tians and patriote. Besides these good and patriotic objects for which it is intended, the hall which the Young Catholics' Friend Society is now erecting, will be an crnament to our town, and will supply, what is so much needed, good rooms, fitted up in modern style, for free education. Let all, then, lend a helping hand to

EXTRAORDINARY CORN .- One of the finest crops of Corn we have heard of this season, in this part of the country, was grown on the farm of Mr. John Collard, in Fairfax county, a few miles from this city. Mr. C. has left at our office a number of ears of the different varieties, and we never saw larger or better filled, and the grains are of an unusual size. Mr. C. informs us that his entire erop will equal the samples left with us, and that the yield far surpasses that of any crop be ever raised. The corn crop of Fairfax. this year, has generally been good. The lands in the county, it has been proved, with proper culture, are as productive as any in the State, and it is with pleasure that we chronicle the success of her farmers.

BURGLARY .- The Book store of Mr. George E. French, on King street, was entered on Friday night, and robbed of \$5 or \$6 in change, which was in a box in the money drawer, and several gold pens, amounting in value to about \$30. The burglar or burglars entered the store through the front door, the lock of which was picked, and the door thus

Allmond & Payne, whose store at King George C. H., with its entire stock of goods, was consumed by fire, on Sunday night last, had an insurance of \$1200 in the Southern press Office, Alexandria Protection Company, Alexandria.

The Union Prayer Meeting will be continuel during this week, in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Washington street at half-past four o'clock every afternoon.

WASHINGTON ITEMS -On Friday, a serious accident befell five men engaged in roofing the purifying-house at the new gas establishment on F. street, in the First Ward. pear the river. The scaffolding on which they were standing not having been well secured, gave way, and the men were precipitated upon the joist below. All were much burt, and the life of one, named Hogan, is despaired of. We understand they were all from Philadelphia.

An old offender, known by the name of Dobbins, once in the penitentiary, and long suspected of being concerned in petty larcennies-was on Friday last arrested by officer very rich bindings, all of which I will sell at Edwards, of the first ward, in Washington, whilst endeavoring to sell meal bags. The police deem it quite certain that Dobbins has been engaged in such practices for a long time. He was committed.

Nearly the whole number-sixty plasterers-who struck at the Capitol extension for higher wages, have returned to their work, fronts of a Mantle. The finder will much oblige fronts of a Mantle. The finder will much oblige by leaving it at Mr. STEWART'S Dry Goods oct 16-3t follow. They made nothing by that "strike."

RECEIPTS OF TOLLS .- The receipts of tolls

THE LONG BRIDGE .-- We learn that the contemplated repairs to the Long Bridge, which were to have taken place this week.

have been postponed. YCEUM HALL.—Professor MACLEOD'S READING, &c.—The public are respecttuily informed, that the new LYCEUM HALL, in this city, will be opened on Tuesday evening, October 19th, with a series of Reading and Reci pression of opinion already made, we prefer tations from the Ports, Dramatists, and Ora-TORS, by Professor DONALD MACLEOD, of Washington, to commence at 71 o'clock, precisely. Tickets 25 cts., to be obtained at the Book Stores, and at the door on the evening of the entertainment oct 15-d4t

andria is larger than Staunton, and can bet- MACGREGOR'S VENTILATING STOVES. HAVE on hand the most complete assortment of COOK and PARLOR STOVES that has ever been offered in this city. Among at home. The Democracy of Alexandria have my Cooks are the Diamond Rock, Nevada, Comet, Wisconsin, Charter Oak, and Homestead. Parlor Stoves, for Coal, are the Macgregor Ventilating Stove, Backus Patent Radiator, New ence for Alexandria. So, in view of all the Pattern Radiator, Parlor Grates, Parlor Cooks, circumstances in the case, we beg to be under- and Cylinder Stoves. Parlor Stoves, for Wood, are the Self-Regulators, Cottage Parlors, Oven Parlors, Sheet Iron Air Tight, and Six and Nine Plate Stoves. Washington STOVE POLISH. STOVE PIPE, SHEET ZINC, &c.

TIN WARE at wholesale, as low as it can be bought in Baltimore or any other city. H. I. GREGORY, 118 King street. opposite Marshall House.

TOTICE.-The copartnership existing between the undersigned, under the firm of FLEMING & DOUGLASS, is dissolved, this day, by mutual consent. Those indebted to the late firm, are required to make immediate payment to either of us, who are authorized to use

oct 12-eo2w J. E. DOUGLASS.

E. FOUGLASS has this day opened at the corner of King and St. Asaph streets, a FAMILY GROCERY, and will constantly and unacclimated. have on hand a large and choice assortment of the very best articles, which he will sell at low friends, and all who are in search of bargains to call and purchase.

the centre of travel. It is the most conveand C Coffee SUGARS. a large vote,) and easily reached by every 20 hhds, and barrels New Orleans, Prime Porto Rico, and Extra Golden SYRUPS.

40 boxes 4's and 6's best Sperm. Chemical Sperm. and Adamantine CANDLES. 40 bags Government Java, Laguyra, Santos, and

20 half chests Gunpowper, Imperial, Young Hy son, Colong, and English Breakfast TEAS, selected with great care for the retail trade. boxes Magical Detersion SOAP. " Extra Family, No. 1 Pale, and Dark

Soap. 4 casks Shoulders and Sides BACON. tierces HAMS. 3 bbls. prime No. 1 LARD. For sale by J. E. DOUGLASS.

40 BOXES PRIME EASTERN CHEESE; talian and American Maccaroni; 20 boxes pure Ground Ginger and Pepper: 10 boxes pure Ground Cloves; Mace; Cinnamon; Allspice; his wants. Flora, too, will udd her graces to White Pepper and Cayenne Pepper, in 1 and 1 lb tin cans. Also, Sardines, fresh and of best brands; Pickled Lobsters; Brandy Cherries; Brandy Pine Apple; English and American single blessedness will suffer a terrible inva-pickles, Worcestershire, John Bull, and Harvey Sauces; Tomato, Walnut, and Mushroom Catsups; French and English Mustard, also Ameri-

J. E. DOUGLASS. oct 14 PACKAGES Double Refined Loaf, Crushed, Granulated, and Coffee Sugars

10 hhds. superior Porto Rico 20 bbls. Golden Syrup 70 bags Rio Coffee, (part prime) 10 casks Machine Oil 35 boxes prime Cheese 40 " Rosin Soap

150 bags Shot, assorted numbers 10 boxes strictly prime Cavendish Tobacco, now receiving and daily expected, for sale by J. H. McVEIGH & SON, Prince-street Wharf

M # OURNING GOODS -I have just opened a lot of superior Bombazines Canton Cloths, Silks without Lustre English Crape Veils Alexander's Black Kid Gloves

Black Delaines, of superior quality Also, a lot of very elegant Black MERINO QUARE MANTLE SHAWLS, with Mournng Silk borders, a very desirable article for ersons in deep black.

New Goods received almost every day.

J. M. STEWART, Exchange Block.

FOR RENT -The commodious threestory brick DWELLING and STORE, No. North Royal street, is for rent, on very reasonable terms, to a good tenant The house is in excellent condition, and fitted up in the best style. Water and Gas have been introduced, and for a business stand and dwelling, is most desirable. Possession given on the 10th of No

vember. Apply to JOHN T. CREIGHTON, or oct 14-dtf JAMES ROACH.

WONDERFULLY CHEAP.—At the old cheap Shoe Store of CROSS, LUGEN-BEEL & CO., No. 74, King-street, WAX LEATHER BOOTS are being sold at the unprecedented low price of \$2.75, and Men's KIP BOOTS at \$2.50. These who are in want of CHEAP BOOTS and SHOES, would find it to their advantage to examine our well selected stock, before purchasing elsewhere. oct 15-dlm

SETTER DOG LOST.—Broke from his fas-tenings at the Adams Express Company's Office, on Tuesday, 12th inst, a BLACK SET. TER DOG, with a white leather collar on his neck, marked "M. N. Falls, Baitimore Steamboat Company, Baltimore." A suitable reward will be paid for his return to the Adams Ex-

R. W. FALLS, Agent. ect 14-3t CARD.—The undersigned having secured A the services of Mr. WM U. HERBERT, as Foreman and Cutter, are now prepared to do all kinds of custom work, in the neatest possi-

ble manner, and at the lowest rates. T. B. POISAL & CO. At the New Cheap Shoe Store, 102, King street, opposite Witmer & Brother's. oct 14-1w

T A ME! MRS. JONES, only to think of it. Here I've been paying \$2 50 for BLACK LASTING GAITERS, and I can buy them at the New Chenp Shoe Store for \$1 25. A body must pay for their learning though! Call and see them, Ladies, at T. B. POISAL & CO.'S. oc: 14-3t No. 102, King-st., oppo. Witmers.

TUST RECEIVED-50 bbls. No. 3 Mackerel, extra 50 " Cut Extra Flour 100 " Prime Super " 50 ' James S. Welch's Family Flour, in

store and for sale by S. HARTLEY & SON. TOTICE -All persons having claims against the estate of the late R. M. Monroe, are requested to present them, properly authenticaed, for payment, and those indebted to the estate, are notified that a settlement is required, C. L. ADAMS,

promptly. Administrator. oct 13-eo3t T OST-On Thursday afternoon, between the Orphan Asylum and King street, a piece of BLACK SILK VELVET, cut for one of the



BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

Election News. OHIO .- CINCINNATI, Oct. 14 -In the Seventeenth district the official returns give Theaker, Rep., 105 majority, vice Lawrence,

Dem. In the Fourth district, Allen, Dem., is elected by 50 majority. In the Fifteenth district, Helmich, Rep., is

elected In the Ninth district, Carey, Rep., is elec-

In the Twentieth district Hutchins, Rep., is elected South Carolina. - Augusta, October 16 .-John D. Ashmore has been elected to Congress in place of Orr, declined. The rest of the delegation has been re-elected.

Iowa.-Burlington, Oct. 16 -Returns Curtis to Congress by 1,000 majority. Indiana.-Indianapolis, Oct. 16 .- The returns come in slowly, and the result as to the State ticket is doubtful. Three Democratic State Judges are probably elected, and the Democrats have probably a majority in the Senate: but the House is close.

Kansas Affairs. St. Louis, Oct. 16. - The latest intelligence from Kansas states that the Central Committee have called a free State delegate convention at Lawrence for Nov. 10th, for the purpose of discussing various questions connected of the party, and to consider the question of as a free State.

NEW ORLEANS, Ootober 16 .- The Howard Association announces that for the past week the epidemic shows no abatement, virulence being fed by the daily arrival of strangers

TOTICE -TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY .-The BOOT, SHOE, HAT AND CAP BUSINESS, heretofore carried on by GEORGE H. BAYNE & CO., will be hereafter conducted by PAT-BOXES and barrels Double Refined, Loaf, TERSON BAYNE, at the old stand, in the name of BAYNE & Co.

Country merchants will find a general assortment of fresh and desirable FALL and WIN-TER GOODS, as above described, lately purchased of the Eastern manufacturers, which will be sold low to cash or punctual dealers .-To all such an earnest invitation is given to call. BAYNE & CO. aug 6-eo3m

TOTICE .- All persons indebted to us whose accounts are now passed due are requesed to call and settle them without delay, as longer indulgence cannot be given. GEORGE H. BAYNE & CO.

F EATHER! LEATHER!! LEATHER!!!-Country Merchants and Manufacturers are invited to examine our stock of HEMLOCK and OAK SOLE LEATHER, with a large as sortment of FINISHED LEATHER. We name in part-French, American, and German Calf Skins

Do and American Kips Morocco Patent Leather do Trimmings, Bindings; all kinds of GOODS sed by the trade, cheap for the cash, or accep-d paper. MAYNARD & ROSE,

46 South Calvert street, Baltimore, Md.

NEW STORE OPENED.—LEWIS BAAR has the pleasure of announcing to the citizens of Alexandria, that he has just opened at No 138, King street, a new GOODS STORE, MILLINERY ESTABLISH-MENT, &c. The Millinery department will be under the especial superintendence of Mrs. BAAR, (late Miss Mevenberg.) and a lady of the highest taste and of tried ability, has been engaged to attend to DRESS MAKING, TRIM-MING, &c. The Ladies are invited to call, and are assured that any orders with which they may favor the establishment, will be executed

sep 28 to their entire satisfaction. ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA RAIL ROAD COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, will he held at the office of the Company, in Alexandria, on Wednesday, the 20th day of October next, at 12 o'clock M. JAMES H. RFID, Clerk.

MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD COM-PANY.—The Annual Meeting of the tockholders of this Company, will be held in the city of Alexandria on Thursday, the 21st day of October next. sept 18-td EDWARD GREEN, CI'k.

BILLS ON-ENGLAND. IRELAND, SCOTLAND.

And all parts of the CONTINENT, for sale Collections made, and Inheritances collected n all parts of Europe. aug 21 BURKE & HERBERT, Bankers. ▼UST RECEIVED, at No. 13 North Fairfax street, a supply of Extra English and Amer-ican BLISTER STEEL, Norway Nail Rods, and Band Iron; also, all sizes of Oval, and Rod Iron. All of the above will be sold at the lowest

prices. Wright's Burglars' Alarm, for sale by the gross or single one. GEO. T. BALDWIN NISH -100 barrels prime No. 1 Eastern HERRING, 100 bbls, prime No. 1 Eastern Alewives; also, a lot of extra No. 1 Mackerel, in half barrels, quarters and kitts, a very nice article put up expressly for family use, to arrive, M. ELDRIDGE, and or sale by

Union Wharf oct ? MPORTANT TO COUNTRY MER CHANTS.-I am now manufacturing TIN-ARE, which I am selling at wholesale, as ow as can be bought in Baltimore, or any of the Northern cities. I have a large stock or hand, and can fill orders with despatch.

sep 15 H. I. GREGORY, No. 118, King st NOW ON HAND, a supply of best American SHEET IRON. Also receiving from manufacturers, weekly supplies of No. 1 refined Bar Iron. All sizes made to order.
GEO T. BALDWIN, No 13 North Fairtax st

DATAPSCO FAMILY FLOUR, in barrels and bags, just received from Baltimore, and for sale by W AGON BOXES - A supply now in store oct 14

which with all kinds of Iron, will be sold at fair prices. GEO T. BALDWIN, No. 13. North Fairfax-st. oct 12 BAGS Rio, Java, and Maricaibo Coffee, 50 for sale by KINCHELOE & BRUIN.

TOYE AND BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, with N Super, Extra, and Family Flour, for sale [oct 16] Z. ENGLISH & BRO. 10 BBLS. TANNERS' OIL 5 BBLS. Shore Oil, for sale by KINCHELOE & BRUIN. BELS. POTOMAC ALEWIVES, just

20 received, in store, and for sale by ROBINSON & PAYNE. oct 12 TOLE LEATHER, good, and good damaged. S for sale by KNOX & BROTHER. oct 12-1m 10 BBLS. PURE CIDER VINEGAR, just received from the country, for sale by

oct 9-1m KNOX & BRO , No. 127 King-st

CITY HOTEL, CORNER OF ROYAL AND CAME-BON STREETS, Alexandria, Va.—The undersigned respectfully invite their friends and the travelling public generally, to make the CITY HOTEL their stopping place while in Alexandria, with the assurance that no pains, trouble, or expense will be spared by the PROPRIETOR and his gentlemanly and accommodating ASSIS-TANTS, in their efforts to secure the comfort

and pleasure of their guests This HOTEL has been thoroughly repaired. and neatly and comfortably furnished throughout, and from its well known location, in the business part of the city, visitors on business or otherwise, will consult their comfort and convenience, by making it their home during their stay.

The SERVANTS are polite and attentive, and the TABLE will be amply supplied with every thing for the "inner man," the city market WHALEY'S OMNIBUSES, with polite Drivers and Porters, will attend at the Depots and

Wharves, upon the arrival and departure of the Cars and Boats, to convey passengers to and from the House. The Stages for Winchester, via Leesburg and for Upperville, have their office at this from ten counties indicate the re-election of House, where persons wishing to take seats for either of the above or intermediate places, wil

> please leave their names. SAMUEL HEFLEBOWER, Proprietor. J. J. ROBERTS, Assistant. 17 Travellers and citizens are informed that by leaving their names at the office of the City Hotel, they will always be certain of being conveyed on their journey in proper time, that being the Office for Whaley's Omnibus Line.

aug 2-d3m OUDOUN FARM FOR SALE .- The sub his FARM, called "ALMA," on the Leesburg Turnpike, twenty five miles from Alexandria and one and a half from the Alexandria, Louwith the present political organizations of down and Hampshire Railroad. It contains the Territory, to determine the true policy of FIVE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOUR ACRES, about one half in cultivation and grass, a speedy admission of Kansas into the Union | the balance in open timber, which affords a very large summer pasture; four excellent springs, and a well in the yard, with water twenty-five fine two-story, frame, and basement Cot tage building, with every necessary outbuilding

-all entirely new Terms very liberal.
Address SAM'L A. MASTERS, Alex'a. Londonn county, Va. oct 12-eolm YOUNG LADIES' INSTITUTE.—The Ninth Annual Session of this Institution,

Boarding and Day Scholars, will commence on Monday, September 13th. The Exercises will be conducted by the Principal and his wife, aided by competent Assistants in the several departments. Those pupils who expect to become teac ers.

will, in addition to the usual course of study, receive special advice and instruction upon such topics and duties as relate directly to the profession of Teaching. Courses of Lectures upon the Sciences, will be delivered during the year.

Further information respecting the Institu

tion, may be obtained by application to SYLVESTER SCOTT, PRINCIPAL. ang 9-entf SUMMER DRINKS.—Silver Medal premium MINERAL WATERS, Carbonated Chamigne, and pure Crab CIDER, ALE AND POR-TER, several varieties, all of them superior to and cheaper than any now to be had in town TEMPERANCE CREAM MEAD, an excel-

ent article for children and adults liable to con LAGER BEER, now so highly recommend ed by Physicians. All the above articles for sale at our depot, No. 38, North Water street, Alexandria. Excursions and persons out of town, furnish-

place, with our wagon, or by mail. je 8---dtf CHARLES HERNDON, (LATE CONWAY & / HERNDON,) ATTORNEY AT LAW, Fredericks burg, Virginia, continues to practice in the Courts of King George, Stafford, Caroline, Spotsylvania, and the town of Fredericksburg.

Collections promptly made and remitted. Messrs. Fowle & Co David Funsten, Messrs Cazenove & Co. George W. Brent. McVeigh & Chamber'n Francis L. Smith. John B. Daingerfield. Smoot, Uhler & Co., John S Barbour. Robinson & Payne, Lewis McKenzie. J H Brent. Bryan, Adams & Co., Burke & Herbert, C. F. Suttle & Co., and other merchants.

Fredericksburg, Va., jv 26-d&cly TEO. T. BALDWIN, dealer in IRON and X STEEL, No. 13 North Fairfax Street -Always on hand, a complete stock of BAR, BAND, HOOP, and HORSE-SHOE IRON; also, CAST, SHEAR, GERMAN, and BLISTER STEEL. All of which will be sold at the lowest price for cash, or on short credits to punctual

FOR RENT.—The Property, corner of King and Fayette streets, known as the EAGLE HOTEL, will be rented together or separately.-The front building as a dwelling and store, being a first rate stand for businessand the back building, containing twelve rooms for a Hotel or Boarding house. To a good tenant the rent will be made moderate. oct 11-eotf

FOR RENT .- The TAVERN PRO-PERTY at Fairiax Court House, now occupied by Thomas Garner. This is an old stand, and with an energetic landlord, a good business might be done. Possession given January 1st, 1859. Apply to B. WATERS, Alexandria, or to THOS. R. LOVE, Fairfax Court House. (Fairtax News.) sep 6-law2m LOR RENT-A WHARF, in good order,

with a LARGE YARD adjoining. This

property is well located for a Coal depot, Lumper, or Wood-Yard. Also, TWO LARGE WAREHOUSES. Also, TWO LARGE WAREHOUSES on the wharf, well adapted for Commis sion and Shipping houses. Also, a number of VACANT LOTS, on Union street, very desirable for Plaister lots. For terms, enquire of GREEN & EROTHER.

STORE FOR RENT .- The new three a business part of the city, and its complete watered, in excellent heart, and has on it a comarrangements for any kind of mercantile business, renders it very desirable. Apply next door, to HULST & CO., or J. A. MILBURN, corner of King and Washington sts. mh 23-tf

FOR RENT - The trame DWELLING and store or school-room, corner of Prince and Water streets, opposite the Exchange Bank Possession given 16th of October. Also, The BRICK WAREHOUSE lower end of

Hill, Brown & Partlow. Apply to
SAMUEL MILLER, at the
sep 20—eotf Potomac Insurance Office Potomac Insurance Office. WANTED TO RENT, a we'l-located and convenient HOUSE, for a moderatesized family. One with a garden, or some pleasant ground attached, would be preferred. quire at the Office of the Londonn & Hampshire Kailroad, or of SIDNEY G. MILLER.

51 Prince-street. FOR RENT .- A comfortable two-story BRICK DWELLING, at the upper end of King street, a few doors east of Fayette street The house has recently been put in thorough repair, and will be rented low to a good tenant. DR. F. J. MURPHY. Apply to

oct 5-eo2w TOHN MURPHY, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

will practice in the Courts of Westmoreland, Richmond, and Northumberland Counties. Post Office, Rice's Store, Westmoreland County, dec 5-tf 20 BOXES TOBACCO, for sale by KINCHELOE & BRUIN.

AUCTION SALES.

HAUQUIER LAND FOR SALE.—On Saturday, October 30th, 1858, if fair, if not the next fair day, I will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at Olinger's Store, at Routt's Hill, near Foxville, in the county of Fauquier, that tract or parcel of land called COTTAGE FARM, containing, according to the plat and survey made by Charles Kemper, TWO HUNDRED AND TWELVE AND A HALF ACRES, formerly the property of Law-rence Ashton, deceased. The land lies within five miles of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, is of good soil, and particularly adapted to wheat; it is well watered, the supply never failing even in seasons of severest drought -There is upon the premises a FRAME There is upon the premises a FNALLE BUILDING, containing four rooms, and

some out-buildings, much out of repair. The society of the neighborhood is good.

COTTAGE FARM is at present in the possession of a tenant who will give all privileges necessary for seeding, &c., if desired, and full possession will be given at the end of the year. TERMS OF SALE .-- One third of the purchase money to be paid in six, one third in twelve, and one third in eighteen months after the day of sale. The purchaser to execute bonds with ap-

day of January, 1859, and also to execute a deed of trust upon the property.

Persons wishing to purchase can examine he premises, by calling upon Thomas S. Ashton, who resides near by. R. T. SCOTT,
Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of Lawrence Ashton, deceased.

proved security, bearing interest from the 1st

Fauquier County, oct 18-eots WILL sell at public action, at the late residence of M. Cook Fitzhugh, deceased, near Anandale, Fairfax County, Va., on Tuesday, the with inst. (if fair, if not the next fair day, thereafter.) all the personal property, of said deceasd, consisting in part of 17 horses, 5 yoke of oxen 52 head of cattle, some of them very fat, about 45 killing hogs, 35 stock do., a lot of wheat. Also a quantity of hay, fodder, wheat and outstraw, together with many other articles not ne-

cessary to mention.
Thems of Sals. - For all sums of \$5 and under, the cash will be required, over that amount, a credit of 9 months will be given. The purchaser to give bonds and approved security .-No property to be removed until the terms are complied with. Sale to commence at 10 EDWIN C. FITZHUGH. Administrator of M. C. Fitzhugh.

Fairfax County, Va., oct 18-d&eots VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE. -I offer for sale A LOT OF GROUND, near the city of Alexandria, called "VAN-GROVE," containing between THREE and FOUR ACRES. Also, A LOT OF GROUND adjoining, containing, by estimation, TWO-THIRDS of an ACRE. This lot lies near the Alexandria Canal, and is an excellent situation for an Ice house. Vangrove is well adapted for a Market Garden, and has on it a variety of excellent Fruit. It is within a few hundred yards of the Corporate limits of the City of Alexandria. If not sold at private sale, it will be offered at public auction, in front of the Court House, in Alexandria, on Monday, the 8th day of

November, 1858, at 12 o'clock, M. Terms made known at sale.
oct 18-3t* HENRY LLOYD. oct 18-3t*

SALE THIS DAY. COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF ALEX-ANDRIA .- By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, rendered at its May term, 1858, in the suit of Brockett vs. Turner and Fowle, the undersigned will, on Monday, the 18th day of October, 1858, at 12 o'clock, M in front of the Mayor's Office, in the city of Alexandria, sell at public auction, the following valuable real estate or so much thereof as ed on short notice, by leaving orders at above will be sufficient to satisfy the said decree, viz: No. 1. A LOT OF GROUND on the northwest corner of Queen and St. Asaph stree's,

fronting on Queen street about 25 feet, and extending back northwardly 83 feet 11 inches to a ten feet alley. This LOT is improved by a two story BRICK HOUSE, known as the story BRICK HOUSE, "Alexandria Academy." No. 2. A LOT adjoining the above mentionlot No. 1, on the west, fronting on Queen street about 62 feet, and extending back 83 feet 11 inches to the said 10 feet alley. This LOT

DWELLING, lately occupied by R. L. Brockett. is improved with a large three story BRICK TERMS -One-tenth of the purchase money in cash, the residue at 6, 12, and 18 months, from the day of sale. For the deferred payments, the bonds of the purchaser with security will be required, bearing interest from the day of sale. And the title retained until the bonds are paid.

sept 16-2awtds

WILLIAM H. FOWLE,

Commissioner

INVITE CITIZENS and strangers to call at my manufactory No. 141, King street, between Washington and St. Asaph streets, and examine my large and handsome assortment of SADDLERY GOODS, as I do not intend to be surpassed in my line of business, by any other city. I have on hand, and am daily manufacturing as fine and superior an assortment, as can be found in any of the Northern cities. My stock comprises as great a variety as can be found in any other house, consisting of HAR-NESS, of all kinds, from the fine quill work down to the dray, cart, and plow Harness-TRUNKS, of every kind, fine SOLE LEATH-ER, Steel Spring Iron frame Ladies TRUNKS AND BONNET BOXES, and all other kinds down to the common packing Trunks; SAD-DLES, BRIDLES, MARTINGALES, WHIPS, &c., as fine as the finest; Buffalo and fancy ROBES, DRIVING GLOVES, HORSE COV-ERS, CARPET BAGS, VALICES, &c., &c., of all kinds. Call and see for yourselves.

give satisfaction. All GOODS warranted to be as represented. WM. F. PADGETT. oct31-tf NOR SALE .- A choice farm in Fauquier county, containing EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINE AND A HALF ACRES. of which about 650 acres are cleared, and the remainder heavily timbered In the production of wheat, corn. grass, or tobacco, this will rank STORE FOR RENT.—The new three of wheat, corn, glass, or story BRICK STORE, on the north side with the best farms in Fauquier county—disof King street, recently occupied by George R. tant 31 miles from Rappahannock station, on Blacklock as an auction and Dry Goods Store, the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, and in two is for rent. The situation of this property is in hours of Alexandria. It is well enclosed, well fortable DWELLING, with all necessary

Thankful for the very liberal patronage here-

tofore extended, solicit a continuance of the

same, and I pledge myself to spare no pains to

improvements. FOR TERMS, which will be very liberal apply to the subscriber, whose post office is Trevillian Depot, Louisa county. This farm may be divided into two farms.

WELLINGTON GORDON. Fauquier, county, oct 5-2aw1m

PRENCH, ENGLISH, AND AMERICAN WALL-PAPERS, FIRE-BOARD PRINTS, BORDERS and DECORATIONS, WINDOW SHADES, GILT CORNICES and BANDS, CURTAIN PINS and TRIMMINGS .- The undersigned are now prepared, at the corner of 9th and D streets, to offer to the public the largest and most varied assortment of the above goods to be found in this city. They have received within the present week, large additions to the stock, and will constantly be in receipt of the latest and most choice patterns. A call is solicited. Prices as ow as any house north.

Paper put on by experienced workmen, under the supervision of one of the firm. FRANKLIN & ROTHROCK.

P. FRANKLIN, Washington City, D. C., L. J. ROTHBOCK. aug 16 -2aw2m TIRUSTEE'S SALE .- The undersigned, as Trustees, offer at Private Sale, at the Coach

FOR SALE.—A comfortable two story BRICK DWELLING, on the north side of Prince street, between Washington and St. of Prince street, between Washington and Wa part of the following, Phaetons, Charriotes, four and two seat Rockaways, Buggies with or without tops, Jersey Wagons, Double and Single Harness, &c., &c.
TERMS.—All purchases of and under \$200

ninety days credit, over that sum six months .-Notes with approved security required in all E. B. MANTOR, Trustees. cases. je 7-eoti D. FUNSTEN,